STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER		2. DATE OF FILING
Sioux Valley News		September 26, 2002
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
weekly	52	$21.00/$23.00/$25.00

4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers)

213 E 5th St, PO Box 255, Canton, Lincoln County, SD 57013-0255

5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers)

PO Box 255, Canton, SD 57013-0255

6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER:

Jerry D. Wiseman

7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.

FULL NAME	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS
Jerry D. Wiseman	45 Manor Circle, Estherville, IA 51334-1128

8. KNOWN BONDHOLDERS, MORTGAGES, AND OTHER SECURITY HOLDERS OWNING OR HOLDING 1 PERCENT OR MORE OF TOTAL AMOUNT OF BONDS, MORTGAGES OR OTHER SECURITIES (If there are none, so state. If more space is needed, list on back of this form.

Eric D. Hohman, 412 E 1st, Canton, SD 57013

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A. TOTAL NO. COPIES (Net Press Run)	2200	2100
B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION 1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales.	946	954
2. Mail Subscription (Paid and or requested)	1214	1053
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 9B1 and 9B2)	2160	2007
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E. TOTAL DISTRIBUTION (Sum of C, D1 and D2)	2160	2007
F. COPIES NOT DISTRIBUTED 1. Office use, left over, unaccounted, spoiled after printing	30	83
2. Return from News Agents	10	10
G. TOTAL (Sum of E, F1 and F2 – Should equal net press run shown in A)	2200	2100

I swear that the statements made by me above are correct and complete.

SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF PUBLISHER, BUSINESS MANAGER OR OWNER

J D Wiseman, owner

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Sworn to before me this 23 day of September, 20 02

Constance R Stevens

Notary Public

My commission expires

CONSTANCE R. STEVENS
Commission Number 188920
My Commission Expires
February 25, 2003

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